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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of :
Keith R. Carver : Group Art Unit: 2833
 Serial No.: **10/767,177** : Examiner: **Felix O. Figueroa**
 Filed: **January 30, 2004** :
 For: **Electrical Connector with**
Rotatable Fastener :

NOTICE OF APPEAL

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated January 5, 2006 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-25 and 33-36, and withdrawing claims 26-32 and 37-39.

The items checked below are appropriate:

- Appeal fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17(e))
 - other than small entity - \$330.00
 - small entity - \$165.00
 - Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- Applicant(s) petition(s) for an extension of 3 month(s) to respond and submits herewith the fee of \$1,020.00.
- A check in the amount of \$1,350.00 is attached.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-2220. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
 - Any additional excess claim fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16.
 - Any additional patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

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